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Under the authority of the *Pest Control Products Act*, Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA) has established maximum residue limits (MRLs) for acetamiprid in or on various commodities to permit the import and sale of foods containing such residues.

Corresponding MRLs were proposed in the consultation document published on 13 July 2011, Proposed Maximum Residue Limit PMRL2011-25, *Acetamiprid*. The PMRA received no comments in response to this consultation.

To comply with Canada's international trade obligations, consultation on the proposed MRLs was also conducted internationally by notifying the World Trade Organization, as coordinated by the Standards Council of Canada. No comments were received as a result of the World Trade Organization consultation.

The following MRLs take legal effect in Canada as of the publication date of this document and either replace or are in addition to the MRLs already established for acetamiprid.

Established Maximum Residue Limits for Acetamiprid

Common Name	Residue Definition	MRL (ppm)	Food Commodity
Acetamiprid	(E)-N-[(6-chloro-3-pyridinyl)methyl]-N'-cyano-N-methylethanimidamide	4.0	Caneberries (Crop Subgroup 13-07A)
		3.0	Green Onions (Crop Subgroup 3-07B)
		1.6	Bushberries* (Crop Subgroup 13-07B)
		1.2	Stone Fruits** (Crop Group 12-09)
		0.6	Edible-Podded Legume Vegetables (Crop Subgroup 6A)
		0.5	Cucurbit Vegetables (Crop Group 9)
		0.4	Succulent Shelled Peas and Beans (Crop Subgroup 6B)
		0.1	Tree Nuts (Crop Group 14), pistachios
		0.02	Bulb Onions (Crop Subgroup 3-07A)

ppm = parts per million

* The MRL replaces the previously established 0.6 ppm MRL for the bushberries subgroup.

** The MRL replaces the previously established MRLs for stone fruits (0.7 ppm for apricots, cherries (sweet and tart), nectarines, peaches; 0.4 ppm for dried prune plums; and 0.2 ppm for plumcots, plums, prune plums) and adds the commodities included in the expanded 2009 crop group.

MRLs are established for each commodity included in the listed crop grouping in accordance with the Residue Chemistry Crop Groups webpage in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of Health Canada's website.

A complete list of all pesticide MRLs established in Canada can be found on the Maximum Residue Limits for Pesticides webpage in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of Health Canada's website.